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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mail Stop RCE

Bernard DAUTREPPE, et al.

Art Unit: 3727

Serial No.: 09/831,918

Examiner: Nathan J. Newhouse

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For: EASY-TO-OPEN COVERS

## Request for an Interview Prior To the Issuance of a First Office Action

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Pursuant to MPEP 713.02, Applicants hereby respectfully request that an interview be granted prior to the issuance of a first Office Action in this Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Applicants' attorney can be reached at the below number to schedule an interview when the Examiner is ready to take this case up for review.

> Respectfully submitted, DENNISON, SCHULTZ & **DOUGHERTY**

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